



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q59423

Motoo NISHIHARA

Appln. No.: 09/580,559

Group Art Unit: 2667

Confirmation No.: 1590

Examiner: Kwang B. Yao

Filed: May 30, 2000

For: PACKET TRANSFER METHOD AND APPARATUS, AND PACKET COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

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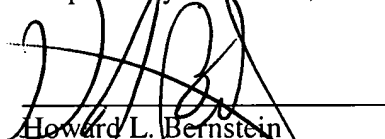
Sir:

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 26, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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